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## Spring Festival is more than a golf tournament

By Chronicle Staff

In three years, the Winston-Salem Ladies Golf Auxiliary's Spring Festival has become more than a two-day golf tournament. The event has become a viable means for the golf auxiliary to help area youngsters participate in constructive activities, which includes the YMCA summer camp and the junior golf program.

"We started out as a group of ladies who were trying to help young people," said Alberta Harvey, tournament director. "But at this point, we're seeing more participation in all areas — more people joining our organization, more golfers playing in the tournament each year and more kids taking part in the junior golf program."

Harvey adds that one of the auxiliary's goal for this year is to expand on the organization's abil-

ity to assist youngsters in the before mentioned areas. "We feel we can do more to increase the opportunities for underprivileged youth," she said. In summation, she says that more funds being

generated by the auxiliary, means that more youngsters will be able to participate in the before mentioned activities.

Last year, the Ladies Golf Auxiliary, through proceeds from

the Spring Festival and funds from their treasury, donated a total \$2,500. Portions of those funds were given to the YMCA, the Y's Summer Camp and the Junior Golf Program. In '90, the group

was one of several local organizations that donated \$1,000 or more to the Winston Lake YMCA.

The Junior Golf Program has been an especially pleasing endeavor for the auxiliary. Since

the Spring Golf Festival was started in '87, the number of youngsters taking part in that program, has increased by almost 75 percent, Harvey said.

This program is set up for youngsters who wish to learn the sport. Proceeds from the tournament help pay the cost for a golf pro to teach the youngsters the fundamentals of the game. The program runs anywhere from six to eight weeks, three times a week.

At the end of the program, those youngsters who demonstrate adequate skill, are encouraged to play in the annual Forsyth County Junior Golf Tournament. Winston Lake's junior program has had young golfers participate in the last two junior tournaments. Last summer, 10 Winston Lake youngsters (the most ever) played in that tournament.



### Tournament Info

• Winston-Salem Ladies Golf Auxiliary's fourth annual Spring Festival takes place Saturday and Sunday at the Winston Lake Golf Course. Tee times for both rounds are set for 9 a.m.

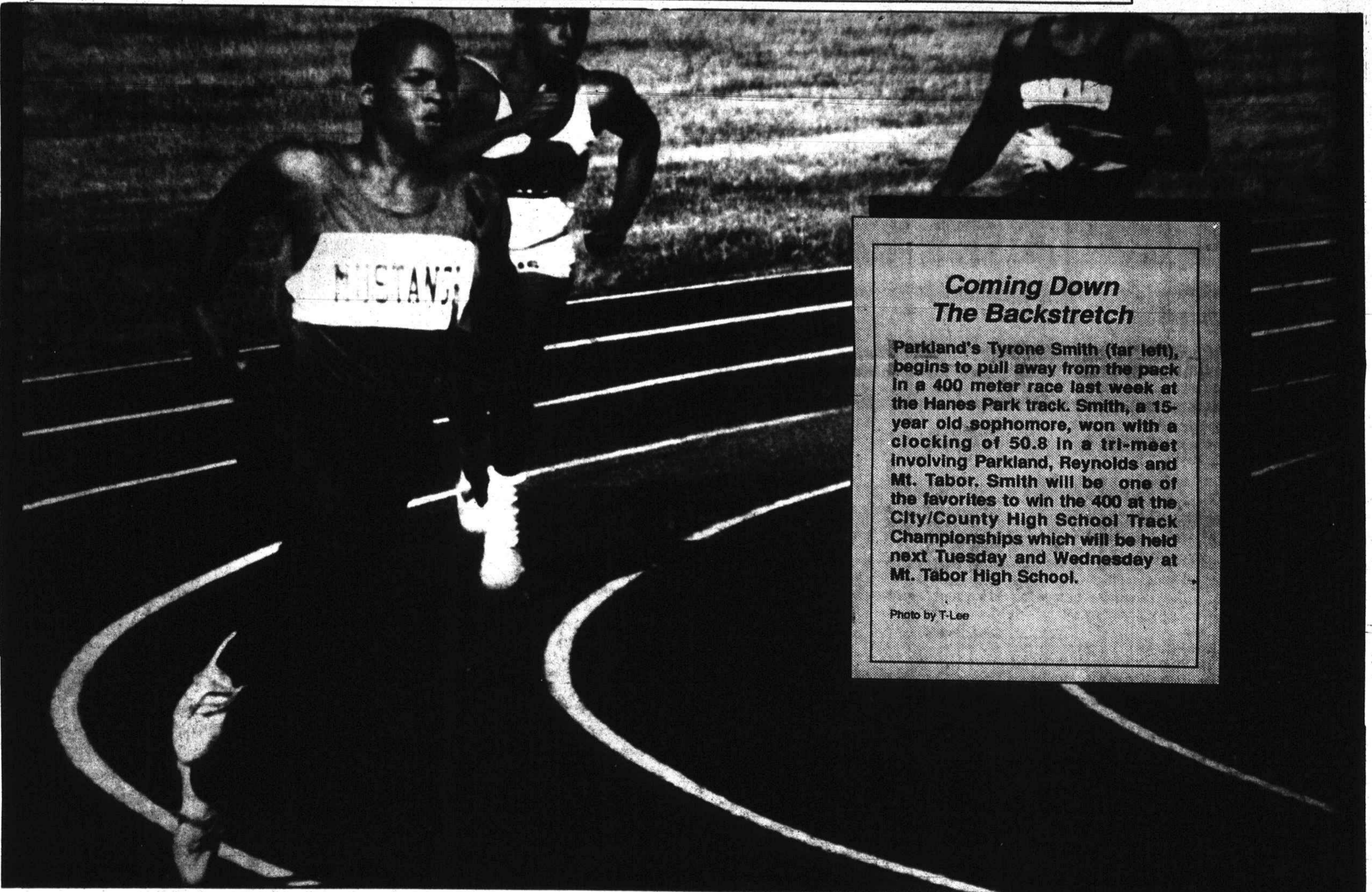
• The first round will consist of 18 hole medal play. Golfers will be flighted for the final round. Flights will be based on results from the first day of play.

• The tournament field will have four men's flights, two senior men's flights (ages 50 and older) and two women's flights. The top four finishers in each flight are eligible for awards. Plaques and golf merchandise will be awarded.

• There will also be a longest drive contest and a nearest-to-pin contest held as part of this tournament.

• A tax deductible donation of \$85 includes cart and green fees for both rounds. For more information, contact Ernest Morris, Winston Lake golf pro at 727-2703.

• Tournament proceeds go to the Winston Lake YMCA Summer Camp and the Winston Lake Junior Golf Program.



### Coming Down The Backstretch

Parkland's Tyrone Smith (far left), begins to pull away from the pack in a 400 meter race last week at the Hanes Park track. Smith, a 15-year old sophomore, won with a clocking of 50.8 in a tri-meet involving Parkland, Reynolds and Mt. Tabor. Smith will be one of the favorites to win the 400 at the City/County High School Track Championships which will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday at Mt. Tabor High School.

Photo by T-Lee

## Winston 76ers are state AAU champs

By Chronicle Staff

Chris Holloway saved the best for last in leading the Winston-Salem 76ers to the North Carolina AAU tournament championship in the 14 and Under division last week at Wilkesboro.

As state champs in their age group, the 76ers have qualified to compete in the AAU 14s nationals which will be held Aug. 3 - 10 at Hampton, Va.

Holloway came through with last second shots in the finals and semi-finals to provide his team with the margin of victory.

In the finals, the 76ers

pulled off a 56-55 triumph against the Raleigh Stars. With seven seconds left to play, Holloway hit a three-pointer to give Winston a one point lead.

Raleigh had one final chance to win, but Winston's Cuncho Brown blocked a shot at the buzzer to settle the issue.

Brown and Josh Henighan were the Sixers the top scorers with 13 points each. Holloway finished with 12 points and Chris Vernon added seven points. Raleigh held a 31-28 edge at halftime.

The 76ers reached the final round thanks to Holloway's on target jumper with two seconds

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## Carver's Floyd signs with Aggies

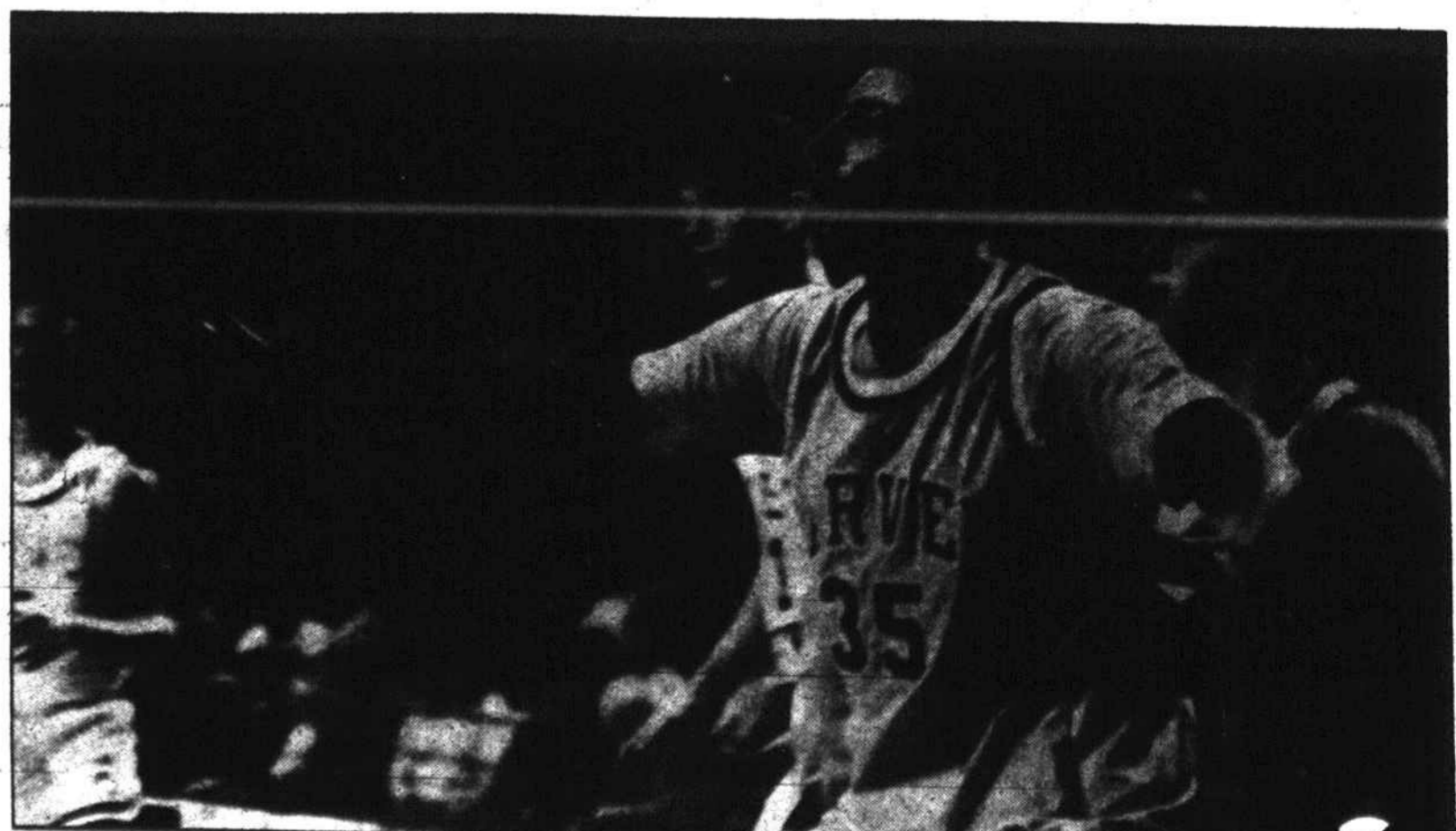
By Chronicle Staff

Carver Yellowjackets forward John Floyd signed to play his college basketball with North Carolina A&T earlier this week.

Floyd, a 6-6 senior, was a vital cog in Carver's 22-6 season as a state playoff contender and champions of the Metro 4-A Conference. The newest Aggie recruit was named conference player of the year and was also an all-conference pick.

Noted as a reliable scorer, rebounder, and defender, Floyd's skills should fit in well with Aggies coach Don Corbett's philosophy of pounding the ball inside the paint to capable low post scorers.

Floyd was also named to the all-tournament team at the '90 Frank Spencer Classic.



Floyd will get the chance to further refine his skills under the watchful eye of Don Corbett.

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